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Applicant: UTE NEGELE ET AL.

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Title: METALLIC SUBSTRATE FOR A VEHICLE BODY

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that this paper be considered as a Petition for an Extension of time sufficient to effect a timely response (calculated as three months). A check in the amount of \$930.00 is enclosed. Also, please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to the Deposit Account of Crowell & Moring LLP, Account No. 05-1323 (Docket No. 038738.44173US).

Responsive to the Office Action dated November 6, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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